

University of Montana

## ScholarWorks at University of Montana

---

University of Montana News Releases, 1928,  
1956-present

University Relations

---

2-14-1978

### University of Montana 1977-78 Grizzly basketball statistics

University of Montana–Missoula. Office of University Relations

Follow this and additional works at: <https://scholarworks.umt.edu/newsreleases>

**Let us know how access to this document benefits you.**

---

#### Recommended Citation

University of Montana–Missoula. Office of University Relations, "University of Montana 1977-78 Grizzly basketball statistics" (1978). *University of Montana News Releases, 1928, 1956-present*. 29088.  
<https://scholarworks.umt.edu/newsreleases/29088>

This News Article is brought to you for free and open access by the University Relations at ScholarWorks at University of Montana. It has been accepted for inclusion in University of Montana News Releases, 1928, 1956-present by an authorized administrator of ScholarWorks at University of Montana. For more information, please contact [scholarworks@mso.umt.edu](mailto:scholarworks@mso.umt.edu).

UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA  
1977-78 GRIZZLY BASKETBALL STATISTICS  
16-6 Overall + (10-1 home, 6-5 road)  
8-2 Big Sky (5-0 home, 3-2 road)

February 14, 1978

PLAYER	G	FG-FGA	PCT.	FT-FTA	PCT.	REB.	AVG.	ASST.	AVG.	PF-D	PTS.	AVG.	HIGH
M. R. Richardson	20	192-414	.464	80-117	.684	141	7.1	90	4.5	57-0	464	23.2	39
Conference	9	69-163	.423	28-42	.667	59	6.6	40	4.4	27-0	166	18.4	28
Allan Nielsen	21	100-209	.479	35-42	.833	117	5.6	37	1.8	49-2	235	11.2	22
Conference	10	58-112	.518	21-22	.955	61	6.1	15	1.5	28-2	137	13.7	22
John Stroeder	21	79-150	.527	35-53	.673	149	7.1	27	1.3	61-4	193	9.2	17
Conference	10	43-76	.566	20-31	.645	81	8.1	9	0.9	32-3	106	10.6	17
Craig Henkel	21	67-124	.540	30-42	.714	127	6.1	37	1.8	36-0	164	7.8	18
Conference	10	31-62	.500	14-22	.636	62	6.2	9	0.9	14-0	76	7.6	12
Jim Molloy	21	50-117	.427	22-39	.564	42	2.0	66	3.1	51-0	122	5.8	16
Conference	10	18-54	.333	12-25	.480	16	1.6	40	4.0	22-0	48	4.8	12
Charlie Yankus	19	47-97	.485	13-20	.650	78	4.1	28	1.5	45-1	107	5.6	14
Conference	8	16-40	.400	4-7	.571	32	4.0	11	1.4	16-1	36	4.5	12
Rodney Brandon	21	22-65	.338	17-28	.607	60	2.9	24	1.1	43-0	61	2.9	10
Conference	10	9-29	.310	9-14	.643	22	2.2	9	0.9	16-0	28	2.8	6
Rick Zanon	12	11-21	.524	7-13	.538	10	0.8	10	0.8	16-1	28	2.3	11
Conference	8	2-9	.222	5-10	.500	7	0.9	4	0.5	12-1	9	1.1	4
Dennis Gay	2	1-4	.250	2-2	1.000	2	1.0	0	0	0-0	4	2.0	2
Conference	0	0-0	----	0-0	-----	0	---	0	---	0-0	0	0	0
Craig Zanon	15	9-14	.643	10-22	.435	12	0.8	4	0.3	17-0	28	1.9	5
Conference	7	6-9	.667	4-12	.333	7	1.0	0	0	6-0	16	2.3	4
Blaine Taylor	16	9-35	.257	10-12	.833	8	0.5	21	1.3	18-0	28	1.8	6
Conference	6	4-14	.286	6-6	1.000	0	0	8	1.3	7-0	14	2.3	6
Tim McCauley	14	7-20	.350	5-6	.833	5	0.4	11	0.8	13-0	19	1.4	5
Conference	8	5-13	.385	5-6	.833	2	0.3	9	1.1	10-0	15	1.9	5
Rick Nelson	4	0-2	.000	0-0	----	0	0	0	0	1-0	0	0	0
Conference	2	0-1	.000	0-0	----	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0
TEAM						91							
Conference						46							
Montana	21	594-1272	.467	266-396	.671	842	40.1	355	16.9	407-8	1453	69.2	96
Conference	10	261-582	.448	128-191	.670	398	39.8	154	15.4	191-7	651	65.1	81
Opponent	21	514-1136	.452	277-392	.707	656	31.2	305	14.5	420-11	1305	62.1	77
Conference	10	226-511	.442	133-194	.686	314	31.4	141	14.1	205-6	585	58.5	77
Montana Dead Ball Rebounds						24							
Conference						13							
Opponent Dead Ball Rebounds						23							
Conference						9							

Blocked Shots: Stroeder 10; Richardson 8; Yankus 5; Henkel 5; Brandon 3; Nielsen 2; Taylor 2; Molloy 1; R. Zanon 1.

Steals: Richardson 47; Brandon 11; Molloy 11; Nielsen 10; Henkel 7; Yankus 7; Stroeder 4; R. Zanon 3; Taylor 2; C. Zanon 1.



<u>UM Score</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Opp. Score</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Att.</u>	<u>Top UM Scorer</u>	<u>Top UM Rebounder</u>
W 77	Stout State	67	Missoula..	7,848	Richardson....33	Henkel.....11
L 75	Northern Colorado	76	Greeley...	1,200	Richardson....24	Richardson/Yankus.....10
W 71	Denver	64	Denver.....	679	Richardson....39	Richardson.....13
W 79	Portland State	71	Missoula..	8,387	Richardson....38	Yankus.....9
W 76	Brigham Young	72	Provo....	14,385	Richardson....28	Stroeder.....9
L 60	William and Mary	61	Provo....	11,128	Richardson....14	Brandon.....9
W 96	St. Cloud State	64	Missoula..	7,144	Richardson....25	Henkel.....10
L 67	Creighton	71	Missoula..	7,879	Richardson....20	Richardson.....5
W 64	U. of Pacific	61	Stockton..	1,800	Richardson....27	Richardson.....11
L 44	Fresno State	49	Fresno....	4,342	Richardson....19	Richardson.....7
W 93	College of Great Falls	64	Missoula..	7,112	Richardson....31	Henkel/Yankus/Stroeder..7
L 57	Idaho State*	65	Pocatello.	4,013	Stroeder.....12	Stroeder.....10
L 59	Boise State*	77	Boise.....	3,315	Molloy/Henkel.12	Stroeder.....10
W 74	Montana State*	58	Bozeman...	6,050	Nielsen.....19	Nielsen.....12
W 65	Montana State*	57	Missoula..	9,338	Richardson....25	Stroeder.....14
W 67	Idaho*	60	Moscow....	1,200	Richardson....26	Stroeder.....11
W 69	Gonzaga*	55	Spokane...	4,600	Nielsen.....22	Nielsen.....10
W 81	Idaho*	68	Missoula..	6,742	Richardson....28	Richardson.....8
W 59	Gonzaga*	47	Missoula..	8,523	Richardson....24	Henkel.....13
W 88	Athletes in Action+	87	Missoula..	4,128	Richardson....30	Richardson/Stroeder.....8
W 58	Northern Arizona*	46	Missoula..	6,176	Richardson....16	Richardson.....9
W 62	Weber State*	52	Missoula..	8,704	Nielsen.....20	Four players with.....7
	Northern Arizona* (Feb. 16)	16)	Flagstaff			
	Weber State* (Feb. 18)		Ogden			
	Idaho State* (Feb. 24)		Missoula			
	Boise State* (Feb. 25)		Missoula			
	Utah State (Feb. 27)		Logan			

+ Overall record includes game with Athletes in Action. Statistics do not.

\* Big Sky Conference game.

#### Home Attendance:

81,981 - 11 games

7,453 - average per home game

#### Attendance Record:

9,338 for UM-MSU game.

UM and Big Sky basketball record.